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Re: Applicant: AAGAARD et al  
Title: "VIDEO SYSTEM AND METHOD OF  
OPERATING A VIDEO SYSTEM"  
Serial No.: 09/626,568  
Filed: July 27, 2000  
Examiner: Lin Ye  
Art Unit: 2713  
Docket No.: 01-296-US

Dear Sir:

Enclosed are the following for filing in connection with the above-referenced application:

1. A Response to Office Action and Amendment;
2. Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form; and
3. A self-addressed stamped postcard, return of which is requested to acknowledge receipt of the enclosed documents.

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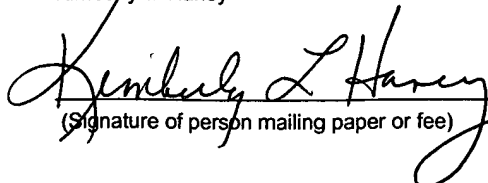
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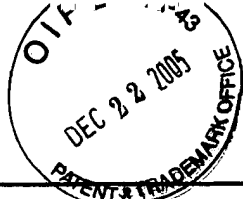
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Enclosure



## Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/626,568 First Named Applicant: AAGAARD  
Examiner: Lin Ye Art Unit: 2713 Status of Application: Pending

### Tentative Participants:

(1) Robert D. Kucler, Esq. (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
(3) \_\_\_\_\_ (4) \_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Date of Interview: Jan. 3-6, 2006 Proposed Time: 10:00 (AM/PM)

### Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: \_\_\_\_\_

## Issues To Be Discussed

Issues (Rej., Obj., etc)	Claims/ Fig. #s	Prior Art Paff '827	Discussed	Agreed	Not Agreed
(1) <u>102 Rejections</u>	<u>Claims</u>	<u>1,7</u>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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### Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

Applicants' representative would like to discuss the Paff reference as it  
pertains to the independent claims.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on \_\_\_\_\_.

**NOTE:** This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Robert D. Kucler  
Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

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Examiner/SPE Signature

Robert D. Kucler  
Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative

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Registration Number, if applicable

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